

House Resolution 285

By: Representatives Lunsford of the 110th, Mosby of the 90th, Yates of the 73rd, Baker of the 78th, Mayo of the 91st, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Mrs. Dana Clark; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Mrs. Dana Clark has been recognized for her outstanding public service and
3 leadership, earning a 2008 Community Quarterback Award from the NFL's Atlanta Falcons;
4 and

5 WHEREAS, the Community Quarterback Award honors individuals who are committed to
6 improving their community through volunteerism, with winners selected by a panel of civic
7 and community leaders; and

8 WHEREAS, Mrs. Clark is a founding board member of the nonprofit organization A Friend's
9 House, Inc., and has dedicated 14 years to helping the organization provide a safe home for
10 more than 1,500 children in crisis; and

11 WHEREAS, a kindhearted and magnanimous woman, Mrs. Clark gives selflessly of her time
12 to make life easier for those in need and is responsible for the organization's impressive
13 fundraising efforts; and

14 WHEREAS, Mrs. Clark plays an important leadership and organizational role in the charity's
15 two major fund raising events, the Taste of Henry event and the Christmas benefit dinner,
16 which includes a live auction, holiday decorations, and gifts from local sponsors; and

17 WHEREAS, this woman of great kindness and generosity lives in Stockbridge with her
18 husband, Bill, and when she is not helping A Friend's House, Mrs. Clark serves as
19 chairperson for the Henry County Department of Family and Children Services; and

20 WHEREAS, the benevolent and honorable deeds of this charitable woman serve as a shining
21 example of volunteerism, and the State of Georgia is honored and blessed to have Mrs. Clark
22 as a citizen.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
24 the members of this body commend Mrs. Dana Clark on her volunteer efforts and
25 contributions and congratulate her on the honorable distinction of being named a 2008
26 Community Quarterback by the Atlanta Falcons.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
28 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mrs. Dana Clark.